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Miss Hendricks is the daughter of Mrs. Lillian T. Hendricks, and the groom is a member of the Richmond Fire Department. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. Williams and his bride left for a trip North. They will be at home to their friends after December 15.

Trice—Pace.

Quite a pretty home wedding was solemnized at the Randolph Street Baptist parsonage Tuesday night, when Miss Kate Taylor Pace became the bride of William M. Trice. Joseph Trice, brother of the groom, was best man, and Miss Mattle Pace, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. All are of Gocchiand county. Rev. W. E. Robertson was the officiating clergyman.

The bride was attired in a becoming gray traveling suit, with hat and gloves to match, and carried pink carnations.

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